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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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AN ACT

To amend chapter 173, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to a post-secondary education entrance examination preparation program.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 173, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new
2 section, to be known as section 173.1120, to read as follows:

173.1120. When funds are available, the department of
2 elementary and secondary education shall contract with an on-line test
3 preparation company or companies to provide a customized SAT and
4 ACT preparation program to all public high school juniors. Students
5 may choose to participate in either the SAT or ACT preparation
6 program, but not both. The company chosen shall have demonstrated
7 performance in adaptive learning technologies to diagnose students'
8 individual strengths and areas for improvement. The company shall
9 provide a skills-based approach which emphasizes skill development in
10 English, reading, mathematics, and if providing skills-preparation for
11 the ACT, science.

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